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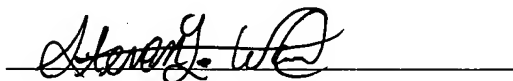


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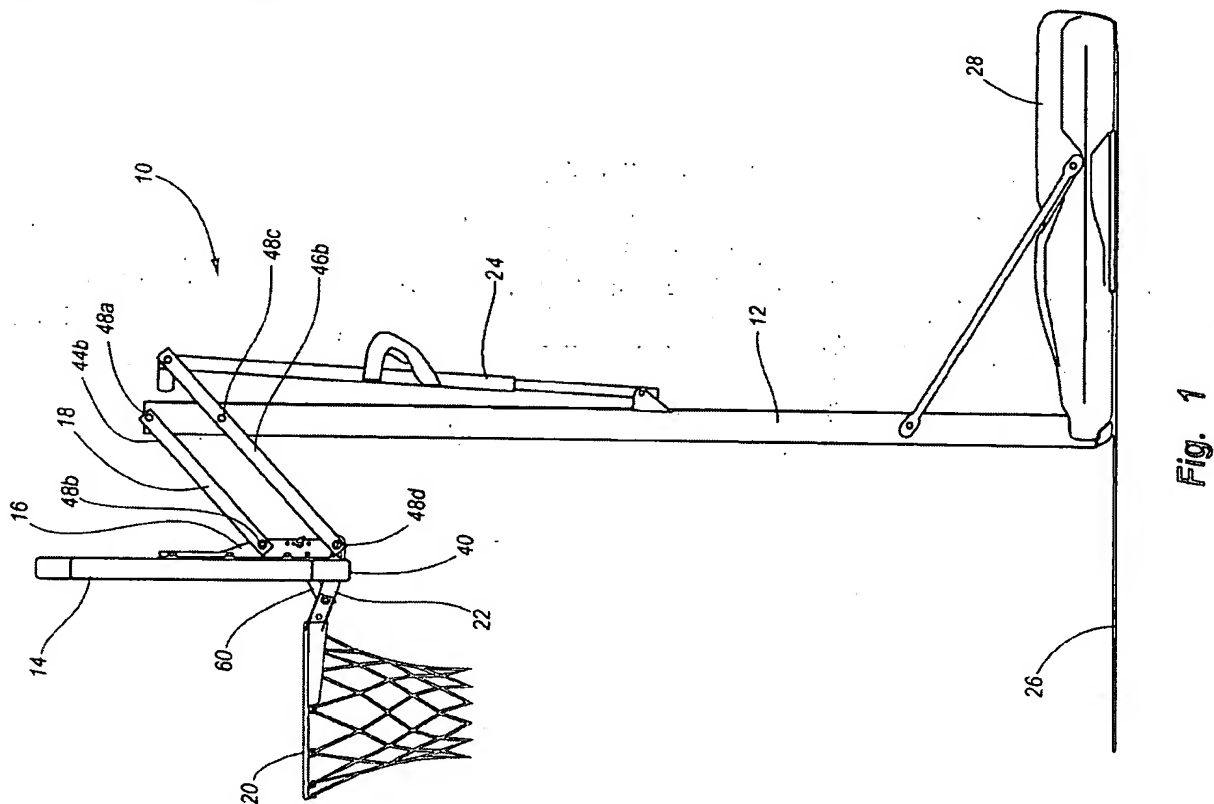
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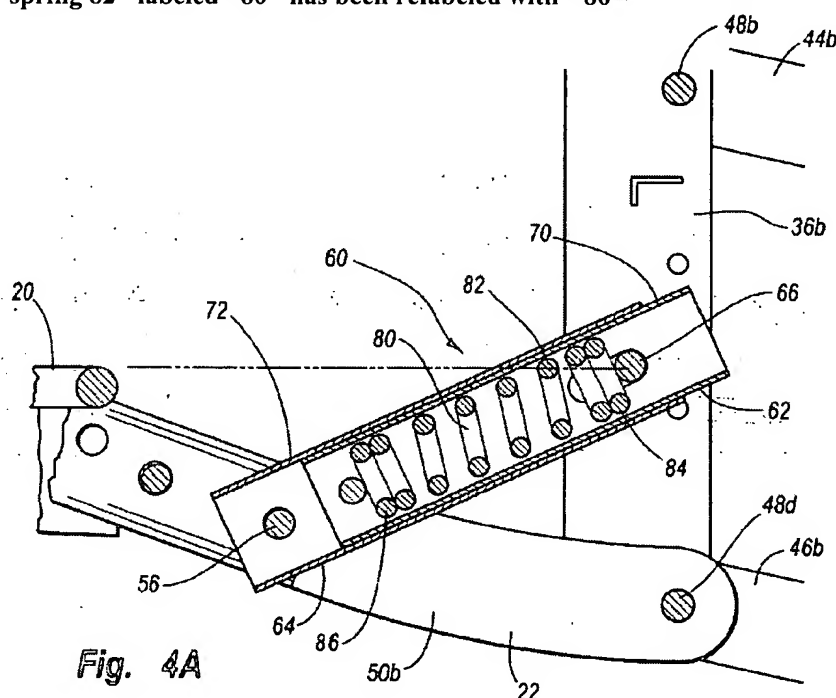
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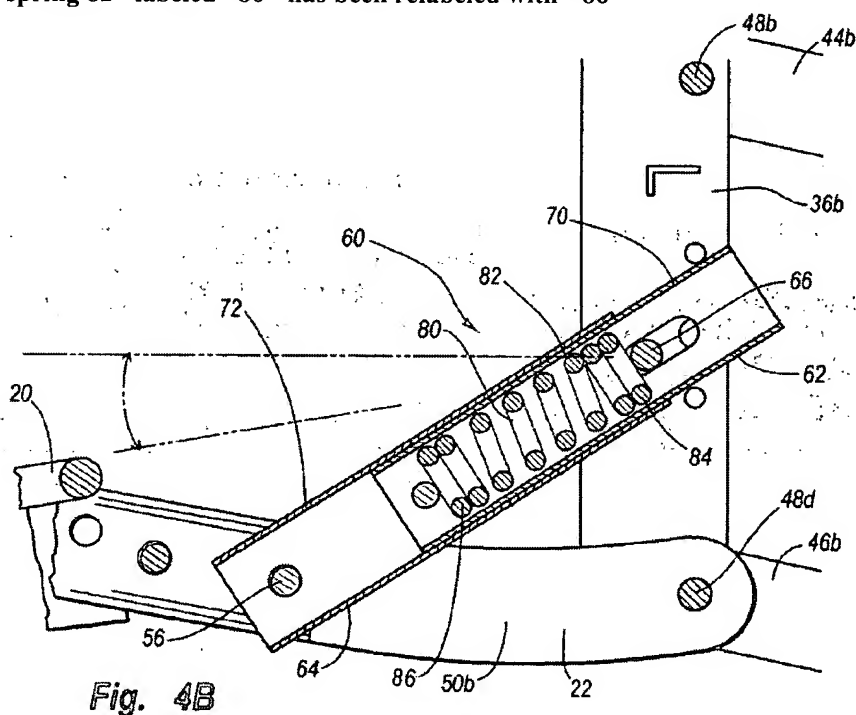
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**Fig. 4B**

**Column 2**

Line 32, change "basketballs" to --backboards--

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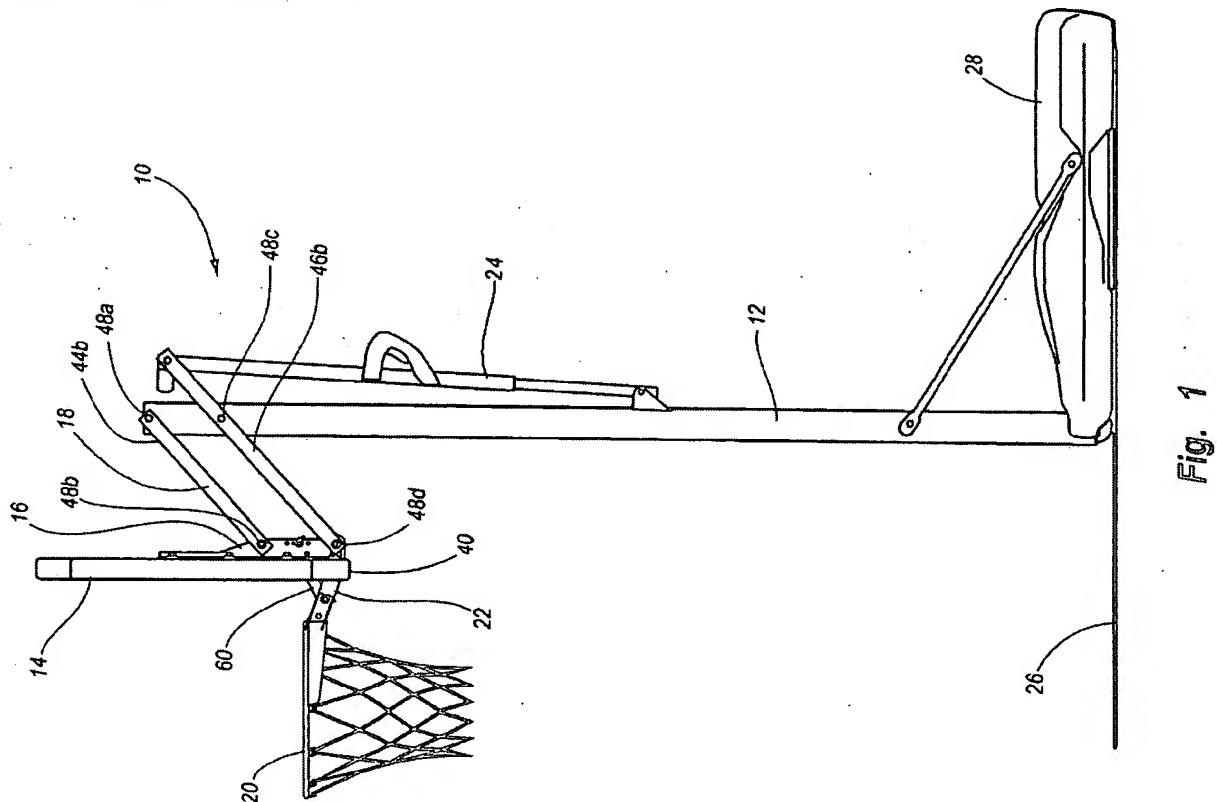


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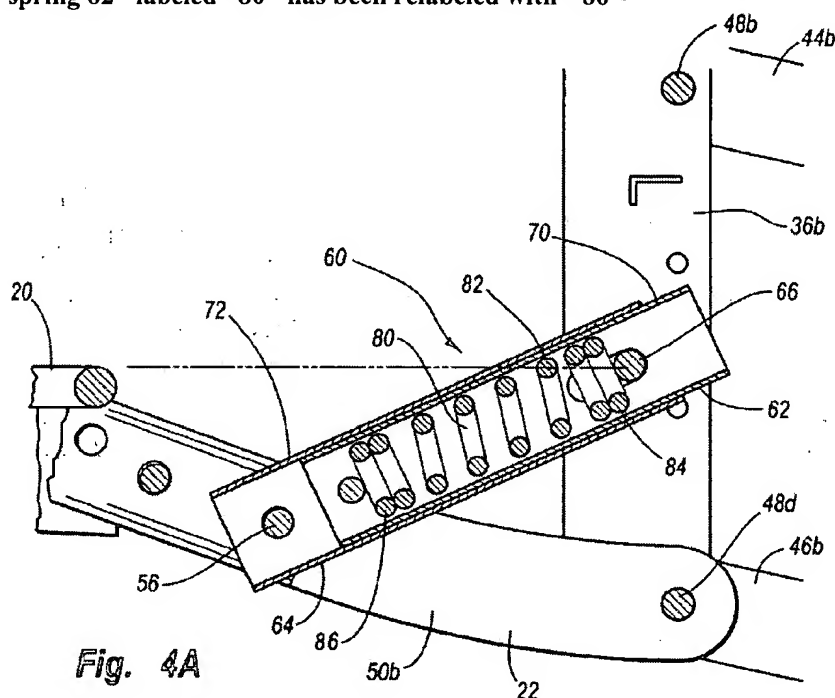


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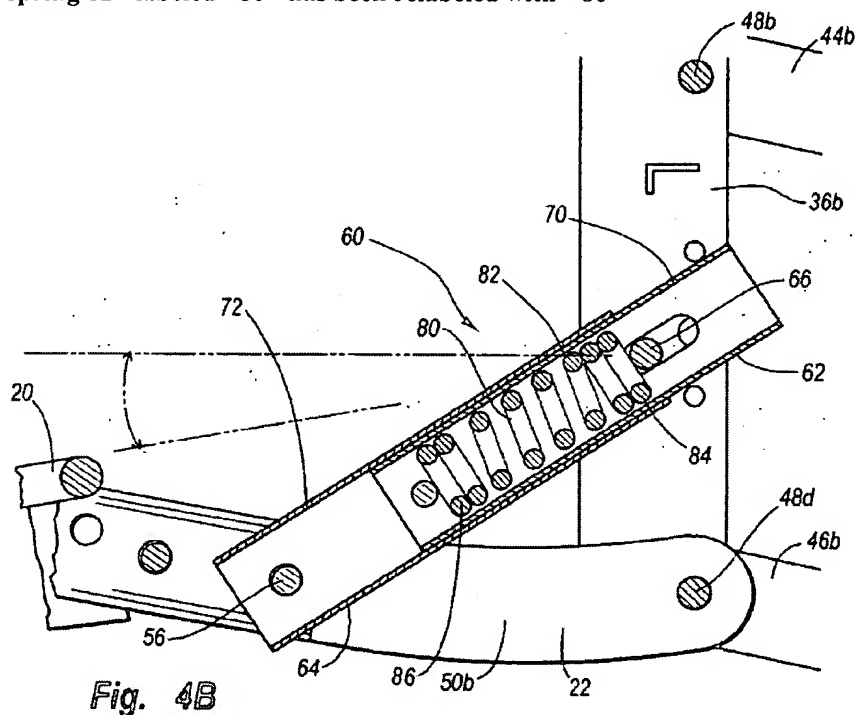
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